

Covenant Journey

Covenant Journey that God's Children Will Enjoy For All Their Life

Acts 1:8

[Introduction] What are reasons of Israel's 7 disasters?

1. Losing hold of the Gospel → age of Genesis 3 and disasters of the darkness
2. Losing hold of evangelism and missions → age of Genesis 6 and disasters of idolatry
3. Losing hold of future generations → age of Genesis 11 and disasters of the future

[Main Body]

1. Covenant which Joseph grabbed hold

- 1) Genesis 37:1-11, dream of Egypt (world) evangelization that he grabbed hold of for lifetime
- 2) Genesis 39:2-6, 21-23, enjoyment of Immanuel 24 hours whenever and wherever you are
- 3) Genesis 42:9, 45:5, 50:19-21, enjoyment of the covenant 24 hours to the end
- 4) Genesis 50:25, enjoyment of the eternal covenant (covenant of the land of Canaan)
 - ▶ “And Joseph made the Israelites swear an oath and said, "God will surely come to your aid, and then you must carry my bones up from this place.”

2. Covenant journey that Joseph enjoyed

- 1) Genesis 35:18, death of his mother when he was young → beginning of true Immanuel
- 2) Genesis 37:1-11, dream of world evangelization that had been imprinted when he was young → beginning of covenant journey
- 3) Genesis 37:12-36, incident of being sold as a slave to Egypt → beginning of Egypt evangelization

- 4) Genesis 39:1-6, time of slavery at Potiphar's house → beginning of restoration of Gospel
- 5) Genesis 39:7-40:23, incident of being falsely accused and imprisoned → beginning of preparation for a meeting to stand before the king
- 6) Genesis 41:1-57, incident of interpreting the dream before Pharaoh and becoming a governor → evidence of Egyptian evangelization
- 7) Genesis 45:1-5, confession of faith in the covenant before brothers → beginning of the true people of Israel
- 8) Genesis 50:22-26(verse 25), death of Joseph → beginning of eternal covenant journey to the land of Canaan

3. Life masterpiece that Joseph left behind → Joseph testifying the LORD before the king

- 1) Genesis 41:1-49, Joseph became the governor of Egypt – one whom is the spirit of God (verse 38)
- 2) Genesis 46:1-34, beginning of the people of Israel (70 people who settled in Goshen, Egypt)
- 3) Genesis 49:22-26, 1 Chronicles 5:2, Jacob's will and blessing to Joseph
- 4) Hebrews 11:21-22 (Genesis 50:25), Joseph left the covenant of the land of Canaan before dying

[Conclusion] Life masterpiece that I will leave behind (3 summits)

- ▶ We may not be able to become a king but can raise one who will become kings
1. Spiritual summit → spiritual president, spiritual commander
 2. Skill summit → witness of only, uniqueness, recreation
 3. Cultural summit → main figure of Gospel culture